PORK PICKIN'S

Appomattox Pork Producers

On December 27, 1973 the Appomattox Pork Producers Association met at the home of member John Wilson. At this time plans were made for the coming year. The election of officers took place.

Mr. J. Hunter Gloin was elected president, John J. Wilson was re-elected to the vice presidency and Earl Pickett was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

The group appointed a Public Relations Committee consisting of Mrs. Barbara J. Pickett, George Shirey, Joe Gloin and Hunter Gloin. Mr. Frank Sweet will act as an advisor from the Extension Service.

A very important decision was made to interest the youth of the area in participating actively within the organization.

The Appomattox Pork Producers went on record as in total support of the Piedmont Pork Producers Association.

The South Central Feeder Pig Sale was held last Thursday with 1389 head offered. The top price for 45 pound pigs was $88.80 per hundred weight while the lowest grade 45 pound pigs brought only $40.80 per hundred. One can easily see the necessity to produce the highest quality pig possible.

The Piedmont Pork Producers Tele-Auction Sale on Monday handled approximately 200 head of market hogs with the top ones selling for $42.80 per cwt. The next sale will be on January 21, 1974.

If you as a reader have a special pork recipe which you really enjoy and would like to share them with our readers please mail a copy of it to Earl T. Pickett, Pamplin, Va. 23958 and we will use it in this column when space permits.

Modernistic Club News

An appreciative number came out to the annual business meeting at [illegible] Baptist Church Saturday at 7:00 p.m. Pastor Lewing presided over the meeting.

Immediately following the devotion the regular business meeting was held. A number of plans for the year's work were laid. A little later the program of work will be passed to each church member so that he may know what the various activities will be.

Financial statements were given to each member in order that he might know how the money was spent and how much came into the church fund during the year 1973. The financial statement was submitted by the Financial Secretary, [illegible] and Deacon John A. Watson, Treasurer. It was by common consent that the financial report was accepted and placed on the records for the year 1973. The members were very pleased with the program of work for the oncoming year.

Regular service was held Sunday, January 6, at the 11:00 service hour. Some of us had a little trouble trying to make it to the morning worship due to the fact the time move up an hour earlier. As whole the members and friends who came out did a very nice job in getting to [illegible] on time. Pastor Lewing was at his best, with a very inspiring message to start the new year off. In the scripture [illegible] affections on things above. Scripture lesson: Colossians 3:1-[illegible] verses. If we really listened to the sermon the year 1974 will be a year long to be remembered. All who attended the service went home knowing that the gospel was well preached.

Right after the morning worship Holy Communion was served to the members and friends.

A very nice number turned out Sunday to greet the first Sunday in the year 1974 for Sunday School Service. Subject for discussion: Bread for the Hungry - John 6:35 [illegible].

Memory Selection: For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world. (John 6:33). The lesson was explained well. The morning offering was good.

Enrollment At CVCC State's Fifth Highest

Central Virginia Community College has the fifth largest enrollment of the state's community colleges, a report on the Virginia Community College System revealed Saturday.

Enrollment for the college during the 1972-73 term was 1,892 but increased to 2,066 by the fall quarter of this year when last tallied.

Northern Virginia Community College, which has five campuses in Alexandria, Annandale, Loudoun County, Manassas and Woodbridge, was by far the largest in the community college system with an enrollment of 13,974.

Other institutions with larger enrollments than CVCC include Danville Community College, which registered 1,953 students last year; Thomas Nelson Community College in Hampton, which enrolled 2,641 in 1972; Tidewater Community College enrolled 3,929 students on four campuses, and Western Virginia Community College in Roanoke, which had 3,485 students enrolled in 1972.

During the 1972-73 term, 94 per cent of CVCC's students came from the immediate Lynchburg area with another four per cent of the enrollment coming from out of state.

Altogether, the college awarded 182 associate degrees, certificates and diplomas.

The statewide system for the 23 community colleges recorded total income of $47,898,818 during the year and total expenditures of $42,876,040 and was slated to launch $17,096,579 in new construction at college sites during the 1973-75 term.

WRECK ISLAND EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CLUB

The Wreck Island Extension Homemakers Club will meet on Wednesday, January 16, at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Rose Burnett. A slide presentation will be shown on down town Appomattox. Please plan to come and bring a friend.

The community was saddened to learn of the death of a former Carver Price student, Hobert Daniel Jr. Our hearts go out in sympathy to the family of the deceased. May God guide and keep each of you in your hour of sorrow.

We learned that Mrs. Beatrice Perce is still holding her own in the hospital.

Glad that deacon Hobert Watson is up and around after being ill for several days. We pray for the sick and trust that they may soon be up and around again.

In and out of town: Mrs. Ada Nowlin left recently to spend the winter in Richmond, Virginia as she has done for some time with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Bruce and children.

Miss Elizabeth Jordan has returned to her home here after spending the Christmas in Newark, N.J. with her sister, relatives and friends. She gives an account of a very enjoyable holiday period.

See you next week!

WHO KNOWS?

1. Who wrote, "Peace hath her victories, no less renowned than war"?
2. Name the island at the tip of the Italian boot.
3. Is the orange a vegetable, fruit, or a berry?
4. Name the 22nd President of the U.S.
5. Before Eisenhower, who was the last Republican President?
6. Name the eight states bordered by the Great Lakes.
7. When was the first transcontinental telegraph line completed?
8. What is a Kookaburras?
9. When was the Marine Corps established?
10. What is Queen Elizabeth II's full name?

Answers To Who Knows

1. John Milton.
2. Sicily.
3. Botanically, it is a berry.
4. Grover Cleveland.
5. Herbert Hoover.
6. Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York.
7. October 24, 1861.
8. Australian kingfisher.
9. November 10, 1775.
10. Elizabeth Alexandra Mary Windsor.

Stiff Penalty

Dieting has been defined as "the penalty for exceeding the feed limit."
-Gazette, Mason City, Ia.

Distinction

"Pro" means "for" "con" means "against." This explains the difference between progress and congress.
-Courier, Bristol

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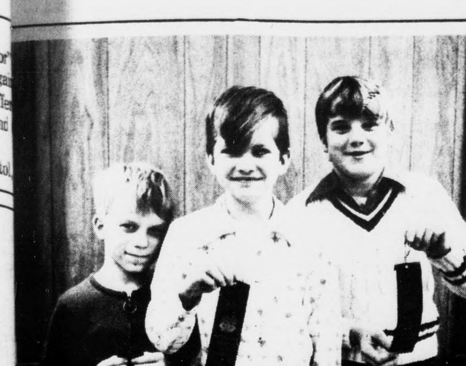
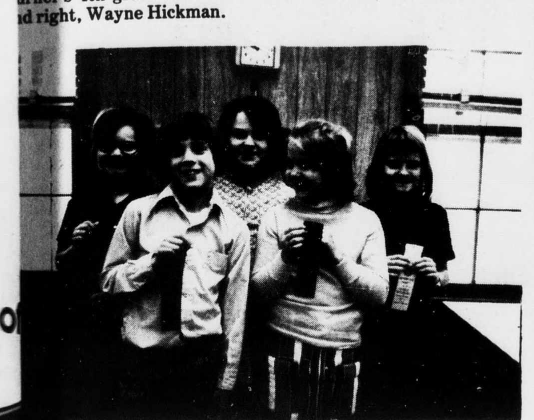


4th Grade 4-Hers Win

Scott Ivey, center, was the blue ribbon winner in Mrs. Turner's 4th grade 4-H club. Others are left, Thomas Drewy and right, Wayne Hickman.



Mrs. Thomas 4th Grade Club will be represented in the countywide public speaking contest by Jimmy Gilliam and Vickie Cheatham. Others in the picture are Debbie Johnson, Donna Pulliam and Joyce Garrett.

Jill Franklin and Richard Guill are blue ribbon winners from Mrs. Coleman's 4th grade 4-H club and will speak on January 31 in the county contest.

Elizabeth Coffey and Tommy Smith are the blue ribbon winners in Mrs. Hamilton's 4th grade club.

DANIEL CRITIZES PROPOSED PLANS

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testimony from all segments of the public on the need to increase marketing quotas. The Congressman said it had been known for several weeks that this proposal would be put out for public reaction, but he strongly opposed the inclusion of the word "terminate" in any such consideration.

The FEDERAL REGISTER announcement reportedly will include wordage to the effect that proposed increases will be considered as well as the option of termination.

"The injection of the question of termination into the matter, particularly at the eleventh hour, is ridiculous and uncalled for," Daniel said. "It would seem that the Department would have learned a lesson last year about the pitfalls of trying to spring objectionable policy changes on the people at Christmas."

He pointed out that a year ago, the Department announced plans to do away with the loan program of the Rural Electrification Administration, financial aid under the Rural Environmental Assistance Program (REAP) and loan function of the Farmers Home Administration. "It was clear then and it is certainly evident now that people resent having such things done at a time when attention is directed towards the holiday season," he asserted.

Daniel said the Department officials with whom contact could be made today had indicated that no serious consideration was being given to suspending the quota system, but he said such assurances fail to answer the questions of why it was necessary to include the language in the proposal. "If there is no real intention of suspending the allotments, then why ask for comments; if there is serious consideration of this course of action, then we need to marshal all of the strength we can to oppose such arbitrary change in policy," he said.

The Department set acreage allotments for flue-cured tobacco on July 3rd for the 1974 crop year and growers subsequently approved this system in a referendum.

Meeting Set For Jan. 10th

The Central Virginia District, Virginia Council on Social Welfare will meet on Thurs., Jan. 10, at 11:30 a.m. in the Weyanoke Hotel, Farmville, Va.

Following lunch, Ms. Meade Boswell, a staff member of the Piedmont Planning District Commission, will speak on the subject of "Human Resources."

According to District Chairman, Bud Harding, advance reservations are necessary and may be made by anyone desiring to attend by contacting Mrs. Mary Ann Himelwright, % American Red Cross, 1010 Miller Park Square.

LOOK AT COUNTY IN 1973

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attracting tourists and thus building the downtown trade. Committees are studying plans now to see just what can best be accomplished.

The Board of Supervisors approved the construction of a new County Office Building in September of 1973 and J. E. Jamerson & Sons, Inc. was to begin construction immediately.

The Town Council voted in October to increase fee for water-tap from $35.00 to $120.00 per tap effective immediately and later in the year voted to raise the fee for sewer tap to the same amount.

The Building Code Ordinance as adopted in December by the Board of Supervisors became effective January 1, 1974 thus brining Appomattox County into conformance with the Virginia Uniform Statewide Building Code. W. S. Slagle was named Building Official and W. S. Bowling was named Building Inspector for Appomattox County.

On December 7, 1973 Appomattox County succeeded in its attempt to have the Town of Appomattox annex county land containing the new Appomattox High School, Jeanne and Harry Stanley property, Virginia Department of Highways regional office, A. E. Hopkinson property, Appomattox Primary School property, Ronald Paulette property and the new Thomasville Furniture Industries property.

George F. Abbitt, Circuit Court Judge, signed the order the last week in December making the annexation of the property into the Town of Appomattox effective January 1, 1974.

In the school system, Eugene Peyton announced his resignation as Superintendent of Appomattox County Schools in February of 1973 and in March Lloyd G. Walton, a native of Appomattox County, Director of Instruction in Pittsylvania County Schools was appointed Superintendent of county schools. He assumed his duties July 1st.

Appomattox County High School graduated 162 seniors on June 8th and 124 students enrolled in the Title I Summer Program.

In July of 1973 the School Board announced the appointment of Mrs. Patricia T. Torrence as Principal at Appomattox Primary School, Cecil B. Tillery, Jr., Principal at Appomattox County High School; and Robert J. Willaimson was named Assistant Principal at Appomattox Intermediate School. In August of that year Daniel W. Davis was appointed Acting Principal at Appomattox Intermediate School. Richard . Carter was named Director of Vocational Education.

Public schools opened for the 73-74 session on September 4th with an anticipated enrollment of approximately 2500 students. A kindergarten in the public school system was initiated for the first time in Appomattox.

Construction on the new Appomattox Senior High School was on schedule and is set to open in September of 1974.

The First Annual Oral Cancer Detection Clinic in Appomattox was a big success when 190 persons were examined during one Sunday afternoon period.

The First Annual National Banjo Festival was held in Appomattox during Memorial Day week-end and was termed a great success despite the pouring rains throughout the three-day event.

In October of 1973, the Second Annual American Cancer Society Bike-A-Thon was a tremendous success when 65 riders took off for their 10-mile ride with sponsors backing them with pledges of "said amount" per mile. Pledges amounted to $2600.00 and was expected to exceed this amount.

The really big community event was the First Annual "Historic Appomattox Railroad Festival" held November 3rd and 4th with an estimated 5000 people in downtown Appomattox on Sunday, November 4th, when the "Depot" was dedicated to the Town of Appomattox just after the special excursion train arrived from Roanoke with approximately 500 passengers aboard.

The two-day Festival was exciting and fun for both adults and for children with the Cactus Joe Choo Choo giving free rides to all the children.

In the General Election held on November 6, 1973, with 6077 eligible voters registered in Appomattox County, only 2678 votes were cast in an unofficial count. Mills Godwin carried the County as the candidate for Governor of Virginia in what was very close race statewide.

On November 26th Governor Linwood Holton signed an emergency proclamation ordering speed limits cut to 55 m.p.h. throughout the state in an effort to conserve fuel....the energy crisis really made "Big News."

As 1973 came to an end, the return to Daylight Savings Time effective January 6th, 1974 in an effort to conserve energy had become law and we knew that with the beginning of a new year we would all lose at least one hour of our time, but hopefully all the other hours in 1974 will be peaceful, happy, and prosperous for all people in Appomattox County and throughout the world.

STATE INCOME TAX FORMS MAILED

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the 1973 changes in Virginia income tax law and should be carefully reviewed by all taxpayers. For instance, married taxpayers may allocate the standard deduction between them in the way most beneficial, and persons, 65 or over, may claim a $400.00 deduction in addition to the extra exemption of $600.00 already allowable. This additional deduction of $400.00 restores the total amount for personal exemption for taxpayers, 65 or over, to $1,600.00, the amount allowed before the 1972 conformity legislation was enacted.

Forst also mentioned that instructions for computing the standard deduction on the reverse side of Form 760S directs a taxpayer to compute 15% of line 4. The instructions should tell the taxpayer to go to the amount on line 3 rather than line 4.

In discussing the options now available to married couples in allocating between them credit for dependents, itemized deduction, and the standard deduction, Forst said that couples must file separately on the combined return, Form 760, or, if part year residents, on Form 760PY.

For further information required by taxpayers of Appomattox County, call your local Commissioner of the Revenue Office at 352-7450.

The office of the Commissioner of the Revenue of Appomattox County will be open on Saturday mornings from 9 a.m. until noon beginning February 16th thru April 13th for the convenience of the public.

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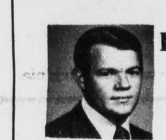

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This is just one more way in which the Jaycees are trying to make Appomattox a better place in which to live, work and play. Your continued support of these two fine organizations is appreciated.

INFORMATION CONCERNING YOUR BACKYARD BURNING

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able to people in the area, and if there is no regular pick-up for trash.

County residents can still burn their trash in a container in their backyard, but not where there is a regular trash pick-up, so long as it is not objectionable to people in the area.

Incinerators are not permitted in high density areas unless they are licensed by the Air Pollution Control Board.

Jordan News

The Youth Club members are reminded to read chapters 6, 7, and 8 of Genesis for our BTU meeting on Monday night at 7:30 p.m.

The Junior Choir will also meet Monday at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Edna Lamberth has found a blue umbrella at her house, which was left there at the time of her husband's death. The owner can claim this item by getting in contact with Mrs. Lamberth.

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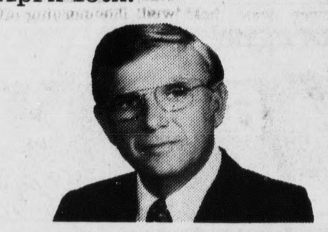

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